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October 27 - 28, 2005

Prairie Capital Convention Center
Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum
Springfield, Illinois

Sponsored by the
Illinois Historic Preservation Agency

Conference Program

Thursday, October 27

8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Registration, Continental Breakfast, & Book Sales at the Prairie Capital Convention Center

8:30 A.M. to 10:15 A.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

LINCOLN, ILLINOIS, AND THE CRISIS OF THE 1850S

Moderator: Kim Bauer, ALPLM, IHPA

“How Radical Were the Radicals? A New Look at the 1854 Republican Party Convention in Illinois,” *Graham A. Peck, Saint Xavier University*

“The Mathematics of Division: Lincoln on Slavery in the 1850s,” *Randall L. Saxon, Illinois Central College*

“Owen Lovejoy’s Political Enemies, 1852–1858,” *William F. Moore, Owen Lovejoy Society*

THE STRUGGLE FOR INTEGRATION

Moderator: Kathryn Harris, ALPLM, IHPA

“From Exclusion to Inclusion: A Case Study of African American Secondary Education in Danville, Illinois, from 1900 to 1954,” *Lori A. Woods, Purdue University*

“White Flight from a Middle-Class Community: Chatham-Avalon Park and the Myth of Middle-Class Racial Tolerance, 1954–1963,” *Will Cooley, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

EDUCATIONAL ISSUES

Moderator: Tim Miller

“Fixing the ‘Country School Problem’: Progressive-Era Rural School Reform in Illinois,” *Erika Rozinek Nunamaker, Papers of Abraham Lincoln*

“The Master Plan or System of Systems: The Emergent ‘Republican’ Models for Higher Education in Illinois and California, 1960–1974,” *David W. Veenstra, University of Illinois at Chicago*

“‘For the Total Child’: Delinquency and Child Guidance at the Institute for Juvenile Research, 1909–1949,” *Fred W. Beuttler, University of Illinois at Chicago*

TEACHER WORKSHOP

“Illinois Trails,” *Patricia L. Goitein, Galena Trail and Coach Road*

10:15 A.M. TO 10:30 P.M. BREAK

10:30 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

URBAN SPACE: RACE, CLASS, AND GENDER IN CHICAGO

Moderator: Lionel Kimble, University of Illinois at Springfield

“Block is Beautiful: The Second Great Migration, The Chicago Urban League and Community Development in Chicago, 1945–1955,” *Kwame Holmes, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

“Punishing the ‘Welfare Queen’: Surveillance and Criminalization in Illinois State’s Anti-Welfare Fraud Initiatives,” *Julilly Kohler-Hausmann, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

ILLINOIS EDUCATORS

Moderator: Kelley Boston, Papers of Abraham Lincoln, IHPA

“Almira Blanchard Morse, Founding Mother of Higher Education in Greenville, Illinois,” *Sharon Grimes, Greenville College, Richard W. Bock Sculpture Museum*

“Mr. White and the History of Public Education in the Philippines: The Legacy of Frank Russell White of Millburn, Illinois, 1901–1913,” *Lino L. Dizon, Tarlac State University, Philippines*

APPROACHES TO THE IMMIGRANT EXPERIENCE

Moderator: Victor Broderick, Lincoln Land Community College

“Grounding Local and Ethnic Church History in Time and Place,” *Perry Recker, Trinity Christian College, Dutch Heritage Center*

“The Immigrant Experience in Illinois Literature: Props, Pawns, and Self-Portraits,” *Theresa Kanoza, Lincoln Land Community College*

LABOR HISTORY

Moderator: Heinz Suppan, ALPLM, IHPA

“Labor Arbitration in the Progressive Era: A View from Chicago,” *Laura M. Westhoff, University of Missouri at St. Louis*

“Prelude to Defeat: Caterpillar’s Global Tracks and the UAW Bureaucracy in the Globalization Era,” *Jason Kozlowski, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

TEACHER WORKSHOP

“A Step Back in Time: Living the Depression: An Interdisciplinary Approach,” *Roberta A. Neumann, Lester J. Stevens Middle School, Wilmington*

NOON TO 1:30 P.M.

LUNCH

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DARROCH GREER

Documentary film-maker and historical researcher

Greer researched the casualty figures for “The Civil War in Four Minutes,” one of the exhibits in the new Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum in Springfield. He has written, produced, and directed documentaries for PBS, Discovery Channel, History Channel, and VH1. Greer will discuss the development of “The Civil War in Four Minutes.”

1:45 P.M. to 3:15 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

CIVIL WAR STORIES

Moderator: Mark Whitlock, Illinois State Military Museum

“Perspectives and Personalities of a Community at War: An Analysis of Illinois Civil War Fighting Teachers,” *Therese M. Aloia, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton*

“The Influence of the Civil War on Northeastern Illinois Farm Families,” *Nancy Schumm-Burgess, Buffalo Grove*

THE REFORM IMPULSE

Moderator: Richard S. Taylor, IHPA

“The Foundation and Early Work of the Chicago YMCA, 1853–1865,” *Justin H. Pettegrew, Loyola University*

“Danville’s ‘Sin City’ and Reformers’ Responses, 1890–1920,” *Janet D. Cornelius, Eastern Illinois University*

TEACHER WORKSHOP

“Family History Resources at The Newberry Library and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library,” *Matthew Rutherford, The Newberry Library; Dennis E. Suttles and Jane Ehrenhart, Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency*

POETIC AND PICTORIAL INTERPRETATIONS OF ILLINOIS

Moderator: Phil Funkenbusch, ALPLM

“Preaching the Gospel of Higher Vaudeville: Vachel Lindsay’s Poetic Journey from Springfield, Illinois, Across America and Back,” *Larry W. Moore, Broadstone Media LLC, Frankfort, Kentucky*

CHICAGO MIGRATION

Moderator: Thomas F. Schwartz, ALPLM, IHPA

“The Beginnings of Chicago’s American Indian Community,” *James B. LaGrand, Messiah College, Grantham, Pennsylvania*

3:15 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. BREAK & REFRESHMENTS

3:30 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

NATIVE AMERICAN STORIES

Moderator: Mark Wagner, Southern Illinois University

“A Second Possible Computer Model of the Rise and Fall of Mississippian Cahokia,” *Christopher Newman, Elgin Community College*

“Potawatomi Trail of Death and Regional Historic Trail,” *Shirley Willard, Fulton County Historical Society, Indian Awareness Center, Rochester, Indiana*

COUNTY HISTORY

Moderator: John Lupton, Papers of Abraham Lincoln, IHPA

“Carved in Stone: A Socio-Economic History of Monument Cutting in Coles County, Illinois, 1850-1910,” *Paul Baumann and Kevin Baumann, Lincoln Log Cabin State Historic Site, Lerna*

“‘Earthquake Christians’ and the Organist at Carl Shelton’s Funeral: Or, What You’ve Always Wanted to Know About Wayne County (But Were Afraid to Ask),” *Keith L. Miller, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

CIVIL WAR JUSTICE

Moderator: Guy Fraker, Bloomington

“‘Such Conduct Must be Put Down’: The Constable Arrest in Civil War History,” *Stephen E. Towne, Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis*

“The Provo and the JAG: Illinois Soldiers and Military Justice in the Civil War,” *Steven J. Ramold, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti*

BUILT HISTORY

Moderator: Kenneth M. Itle, Wiss, Janney, Elstner, Assoc.

“Illinois: Leader in the Precut ‘Kit’ Housing Industry, 1908–1951,” *Rebecca Hunter, Elgin*

“Saving the Robie House,” *Theodore W. Hild, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency*

TEACHER WORKSHOP

“History Fairs and State Teaching Standards,” *Melissa Craig, St. Thomas More School, Elgin*

EVENING BANQUET

Thursday, October 27, 2005
Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum

5:30 P.M. Cocktails in the atrium

6:30 P.M. Banquet & evening speaker in the Plaza

of the Museum

have a ticket to attend the banquet.

Speaker

EDNA GREENE MEDFORD

Edna Greene Medford is Associate Professor of History at Howard University. She is a nationally recognized scholar and frequent lecturer on African Americans in slavery and freedom. As a member of the Scholars Advisory Board for the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum, she participated in discussions for planning the museum. She is also a member of the Advisory Committee for the Bicentennial Commission. Medford will speak on the theme of emancipation.

Friday, October 28

8:00 A.M. Registration, Continental Breakfast, & Book Sales at the Prairie Capital Convention Center

8:30 A.M. to 10:15 A.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

NINETEENTH-CENTURY POLITICAL HISTORY

Moderator: Roger Bridges, Illinois State University

"The Chicago Lakefront's Last Frontier: Streeterville, 1886-1920,"
Joshua Salzmman, University of Illinois at Chicago

"Subordinate to Public Order and to the Protection of Property and
Honest Labor: The May Day Strike of 1867 and the Chicago Police,"
Sam Mitrani, University of Illinois at Chicago

"Race and Reconstruction in Illinois Politics from 1871 to 1872," *Peter
J. Ufland, University of Illinois at Chicago*

THE EVOLUTION OF PLACE

Moderator: Bryon Andreasen, ALPLM, IHPA

"Abraham Lincoln's Wilderness: 'My Childhood Home,'" *Samuel P.
Wheeler, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale*

"Culture and Leisure in St. Charles, Illinois, from 1900-1930," *Costas
Spirou, National-Louis University and Julie Bunke, St. Charles
Heritage Center*

"Victory at Sea: The Wartime Contributions of Naval Training Center
Chicago on Navy Pier," *Jason Marcus Waak, University of Illinois at
Chicago*

TEACHER WORKSHOP

"Workshops at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library," *Erin
Bishop, Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library, IHPA*

COAL MINING HISTORY

Moderator: Taylor Pensoneau, Illinois Coal Association

"Rural Radicals: Illinois Coal Miners and the Farmer-Labor Party,"
Mary Barford, Eastern Illinois University

"A Turning Point: The Lasting Impact of the 1898 Virden Mine Riot,"
David Markwell, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

"Driscoll Scanlan: The Last Great Hope of Avoiding the Centralia
Mine Disaster," *Robert E. Hartley, Westminster, Colorado*

COMPARATIVE STUDIES

Moderator: Nan Wynn, Lincoln's Tomb State Historic Site, IHPA

"A Historic Profile of Illinois' African American State Legislators:
Their Contributions to Illinois' History, 1877 to Present," *Erma
Brooks Williams, Chicago State University*

"Veterans of Illinois: A Comparative Study," *C. Scott Stahlman,
Champaign*

"Converging Technologies and Changing Educational Values in Mid-19th
Century Illinois," *Lloyd Callaway, North Central College*

10:15 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. BREAK

10:30 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

THE FRENCH IN ILLINOIS

Moderator: Erin Bishop, ALPLM, IHPA

"Siege at Le Rocher 1684," *Mark Walczynski, La Salle County
Historical Society*

"Mont Joliet, The Sad Fate of an Ancient Historic Landmark," *John
Lamb, Lewis University Canal & Regional History Collection*

DEALING WITH COMPETITION

Moderator: Duane Elbert, Eastern Illinois University

"John Deere and the Battle for the 'Moline Plow'," *Neil Dahlstrom,
Deere and Company Archives, Moline*

TEACHING HISTORY IN ILLINOIS COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Moderator: Timothy Dean Draper, Waubensee Community College

Panel: *Amy M. Godfrey, Waubensee Community College
Richard J. Kiefer, Waubensee Community College
Rich Pate, Danville Area Community College
Jeffrey A. Spanbauer, Blackhawk Community College*

THE POWER OF THE PRESS

Moderator: Glenna Schroeder-Lein, ALPLM, IHPA

"Quincy Newspapers and the Mormon Exodus to Illinois, 1838-
1839," *Steve Wiegenstein, Culver-Stockton College, Canton, Missouri*

"Politics vs. Pennies: Chicago's Pre-fire English Newspapers," *Gordon
Mayer, Chicago*

LINCOLN REVISITED

Moderator: Chet Rhodes, Old State Capitol State Historic Site, IHPA

"'I have done my duty as I best know and Providence must take care
of the rest': Reconsidering Mary Todd Lincoln's Insanity Case and
Robert Todd Lincoln's Motivations Behind It," *Jason Emerson,
Fredericksburg, Virginia*

"Children's Biographies as History: An Analysis of Juvenile
Biographies of Abraham Lincoln," *A. Virginia Witucke, Evanston*

**NOON TO 1:30 P.M.
LUNCH**

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CARL J. EKBERG

Professor Emeritus of History, Illinois State University

Ekberg, an expert on the French in colonial Illinois, has written the award-winning books *French Roots in the Illinois Country: The Mississippi Frontier in Colonial Times*; *François Valle and His World: Upper Louisiana before Lewis and Clark*; and *Colonial Ste. Genevieve: An Adventure on the Mississippi Frontier*. His presentation will be on French-ness and Indian-ness in Illinois.

1:45 P.M. TO 3:15 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

CULTURAL HISTORY

Moderator: Evelyn R. Taylor, IHPA

“The Mississippi River Festival at Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, 1969–1980,” *Stephen Kerber, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, Lovejoy Library*

“Burl Icle Ivanhoe Ives: His Illinois Roots,” *Daniel E. Thornburgh, Eastern Illinois University*

ILLINOIS STORIES

Moderator: Robert Sampson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

“The 1975 Appointment of John Paul Stevens of Illinois to the United State Supreme Court,” *Philip A. Grant Jr., Pace University, New York*

“Champaign’s Fallen Heros,” *David W. Godwin, Urbana*

ILLINOIS ARCHAEOLOGY

Moderator: Paula Cross, IHPA

“Cisterns: ‘Dead Water’ Hardly Fit to Wash the Backsettler’s Face,” *M. Catherine Bird and Jack Van Orden, Midwest Archaeological Research Services*

GERMANS IN AMERICA

Moderator: Ted Hild, IHPA

“Two Young Bachelors in Alton, 1836–1838: Rev. Joseph Rieger and Owen Lovejoy,” *Jane Ann Moore, Owen Lovejoy Society*

“Frederick Hecker: From German Revolutionary to Illinois Civil War Colonel,” *Marc Dluger, Loyola University*

PUBLIC SCULPTURE

Moderator: John Hoffmann, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

“The Creation of the Abraham Lincoln Statue in Lincoln Square, Chicago,” *Patrick Mallory, Loyola University*

“The View from Here: The Story of the George Rogers Clark Statue in Quincy, Illinois,” *Steve Schneider, Deerfield*

3:15 P.M. TO 3:30 P.M. BREAK & REFRESHMENTS

3:30 P.M. TO 5:00 P.M. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

UNEXPECTED INTERESTS

Moderator: Ron Keller, Lincoln College

“Lincoln’s Loyal Confidante: Eliza Caldwell Browning,” *Iris A. Nelson, Quincy Public Library*

“Illinois Women in the Civil War—One Special Soldier: Jennie Hodger/Albert D. J. Cashier, 19th Illinois Infantry,” *Peggy Dunn, University of Illinois at Springfield*

PHILANTHROPY IN ILLINOIS

Moderator: William Siles, University of Illinois at Springfield

“Gail Borden, Elgin, and Condensed Milk,” *Christian Schock, Galesburg*

“Chauncey McCormick of Chicago: ‘Democratic Patrician,’” *Kevin Davis, Warrenville Historical Society*

CONSPIRACY AND DECEPTION

Moderator: Thomas F. Schwartz, ALPLM, IHPA

“‘The Last Act of the South’: Assassination and Conspiracy as Political Tools Following Abraham Lincoln’s Death,” *Matthew Sherman, St. Louis University*

“The Spy Who Came in From the Coal Field: A British Spy in Illinois,” *Joseph Clark, Lockport*

LOCAL HISTORY

Moderator: Cheryl Schnirring, ALPLM, IHPA

“Dickson, Webster, and Lincoln: The Riddle of Rock Island City—Solved,” *Alexandra Benedict, Port Byron*

“‘The deep, surly misery note of maschestoes’: Cairo and the Central Mississippi River Valley,” *Michael B. Dougan, Arkansas State University*

Saturday, October 29

Stay in Springfield an Extra Day and Attend Historic Preservation Knowledge Day

Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library & Museum Complex

You are invited to the Illinois Association of Historic Preservation Commissions Annual Meeting on October 29, 2005, at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum complex in Springfield. The daylong event will begin with a 10 A.M. Networking Brunch at the Presidential Library and tour of the Museum, followed by a technical forum on *Common Historic Building Maintenance/Care Myths that Can Beguile Landmarks Commissions*, presented by one of the Midwest's leading authorities, David Arbogast of Iowa City. In addition, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency staff will present *The Do's and Don't's of the Property Tax Freeze Incentive Program*. And there will be plenty of time for informal information exchange and updates from communities around the state. Registration is \$30, which includes a delicious brunch and plenty of refreshments throughout the day, the museum tour, and an afternoon of top notch preservation education.

10:00 A.M. Brunch at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library
Tour of the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum
Presentations at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library

SPECIAL DISCOUNT: Registration is just \$20 for those who attend the two-day Conference on Illinois History. See registration form on the following page.

If you have questions about Historic Preservation Knowledge Day, contact Catherine O'Connor at 785-5730, or email Catherine_O'Connor@ihpa.state.il.us.

CONFERENCE FACILITIES

Thursday, October 27 & Friday, October 28

All sessions will meet at the **Prairie Capital Convention Center**, 1 Convention Center Plaza (which is bounded by Washington St. on the north, Adams St. to the south, and Ninth St. to the east), in Springfield. Luncheons (by reservation) will also be held at the Convention Center. The Thursday evening banquet (by reservation) will be held at the **Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum** at 212 North Sixth Street.

Saturday, October 29

Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library & Museum Complex

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Students of Illinois history of all ages and all walks of life who appreciate opportunities to learn in a welcoming environment with others who share an interest in the history of Illinois and its people.

Teachers with a desire to bring new perspectives and teaching techniques into their classrooms. *The conference is accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education for Continuing Professional Development Units.*

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Wednesday, October 26 & Thursday, October 27

Twenty-five rooms have been set aside at the Hilton Springfield, 7th and Adams Streets, at \$69 single and \$84 double. Phone 217-789-1530 to make a reservation. Twenty-five rooms have been set aside at the Renaissance Springfield, 701 E. Adams St. (across from the Hilton) at \$70 single and \$85 double. Phone 217-544-8800 to reserve a room. Please inform hotels that you are with the Conference on Illinois History when making reservations.

Friday, October 28

For other accommodations and rates in Springfield, call Springfield Convention and Visitors Bureau at 1-800-545-7300 or 217-789-2360, or visit its web site at www.visit-springfieldillinois.com.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

Please turn off cell phones/pagers during sessions.
You may want to bring a sweater or jacket, as the temperature fluctuates.

A brief description of each paper will be posted at www.Illinois-History.gov/conference.htm

REGISTRATION FORM

NOTE: Please underline the sessions that you are interested in attending. Your choices are not binding; this is to help us more accurately estimate the space required for each session. Thank you.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:30 - 10:15:

Lincoln, Illinois, and the Crisis of the 1850s
Educational Issues
The Struggle for Integration
Illinois Trails*

10:30 - Noon:

Urban Space: Race, Class and Gender in Chicago
Approaches to the Immigrant Experience
Illinois Educators
Labor History
The Great Depression*

1:45 - 3:15:

Civil War Stories
The Reform Impulse
Poetic and Pictorial Interpretations of Illinois
Chicago Migration
Family History Resources*

3:30 - 5:00:

Native American Stories
Civil War Justice
County History
Built History
History Fairs and State Teaching Standards*

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

8:30 - 10:15:

Nineteenth Century Political History
Coal Mining History
The Evolution of Place
Comparative Studies
Workshops at the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library*

10:30 - Noon:

The French in Illinois
Lincoln Revisited
The Power of the Press
Dealing with Competition
Teaching History in Illinois Community Colleges

1:45 - 3:15:

Germans in Illinois
Illinois Archaeology
Illinois Stories
Cultural History
Public Sculpture

3:30 - 5:00:

Unexpected Interests
Philanthropy in Illinois
Conspiracy and Deception
Local History

*Denotes Teacher Workshop

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Registration*

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Thu., Fri., & Sat.: _____ x \$60 _____

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Thursday only: _____ x \$30 _____

Friday only: _____ x \$30 _____

Saturday only: _____ x \$30 _____

Student Thu., Fri., & Sat.: _____ x \$40 _____

Student Thu. & Fri.: _____ x \$20 _____

Thursday Banquet: _____ x \$45 _____

(includes a tour of the Abraham
Lincoln Presidential Museum)

Thursday Luncheon: _____ x \$20 _____

Friday Luncheon: _____ x \$20 _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED

\$ _____

On-site Registration add \$5

*Registrations for the Banquet and Luncheons must be received by **October 21, 2005**. Due to limited seating, we cannot guarantee availability of tickets after this date.

Mail the completed form and payment (payable to IHPA) to:

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Journal Seeks Manuscripts on Illinois History

The *Journal of Illinois History* seeks manuscripts on all facets of the history of Illinois and its citizens. Contributions in social, political, economic, and cultural history are welcome, as are related midwestern and Civil War topics, the history of the Northwest Territory, and Illinois biography.

Articles for publication are carefully chosen by the editors, who solicit the comments of at least two referees. Articles are judged on their quality and depth of research, originality, significance of the subject matter, and appropriateness for this *Journal*.

Authors should follow the *Chicago Manual of Style* (15th edition) in the preparation of *Journal* manuscripts. Additional guidelines can be viewed at <http://www.state.il.us/hpa/Submit.htm> or will be sent upon request. All manuscripts must be typewritten and double-spaced, 20–25 pages in length, with footnotes appearing separately at the end of the text. Authors should submit three copies of each manuscript, and since manuscripts are refereed anonymously, the author's name should appear only on the title page.

All articles will be edited to conform to *Journal* style, and the editors may make other changes for clarity and word economy. Authors are expected to review typescripts and galleys.

Mail manuscripts to: Evelyn R. Taylor, Editor, *Journal of Illinois History*, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency, 1 Old State Capitol Plaza, Springfield, IL 62701-1512. For more information, call Evelyn Taylor at 217-785-7949, or email evelyn_taylor@ihpa.state.il.us.

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TEACHERS!

The Conference on Illinois History is accredited by the ISBE for CPDU.

Call for Papers

2006 Conference on Illinois History

Proposals for individual papers or panels on any aspect of Illinois' history, culture, politics, geography, literature, and archaeology are requested for the Conference on Illinois History. The Conference welcomes submissions from professional and avocational historians, graduate students, and those engaged in the study of Illinois history at libraries, historic sites, museums, and historical societies.

Each proposal should include a summary of the topic and a one-page resume of the participant. The summary should specify the major primary and secondary sources used in the research. Proposals should be for formal, footnoted papers. **The deadline for proposals is March 10, 2006.** Send proposals to:

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